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## USSR INCREASES OUTPUT OF RADIOS, PHONOGRAPHS; LACKS SPARE PARTS

RADIO INDUSTRY DEVELOPS NEW MODELS -- Moscow, Ogonek, 13 Dec 53

In the next few months, ARZ radio receivers will be available in various colored cabinets: dark cherry, dark blue, and grey with gold.

In 1954-1955, the Iskra battery-operated set will be available to kolkhoz workers. This set is smaller than the Rodina radio and requires less electric power.

The Baykal radio, which receives ultrashort-wave broadcasts, is scheduled for production.

The four sube portable Dorozhnyy radio is now being tested. This set can be plugged into standard electrical outlets or operated on its batteries, which have a 30-hour capacity.

In 1954, radio-phonographs with sound-recording devices will be available, as will sound-recording attachments for existing sets.

The radio industry needs better veneer for cabinets from the Ministry of Timber and Paper Industry, a larger selection of paints from the Ministry of Chemical Industry, and a better quality and larger selection of fabrics from the Ministry of Consumer Goods Industry. -- S. M. Plakhotnik, chief engineer of a main administration [of the Radio Industry?], Ministry of Electric Power \$5.ations and Electrical Industry USSR

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ELECTRICAL INDUSTRY BOOSTS OUTPUT OF CONSUMER GOODS -- Minsk, Sovetskaya Belorussiya, 14 Nov 53

Chernichkin, deputy minister of Electric Power Stations and Electrical Industry states that most Moscow plants of the ministry are now producing consumer goods and have exceeded their program for the first 10 months of 1953. In 1954, ministry plants are to increase their output of consumer goods by more than 60 percent and the output of radio receivers by 2.7 times.

TO PRODUCE MOSKVICH-4 RADIO -- Moscow, Mcskovskaya Pravda, 4 Nov 53

In the past, the Moscow Krasnyy Oktyabr' Plant has received many complaints about the Moskvich receivers it produces. Now the plant has developed the Moskvich-4 radio, which will replace the Moskvich-3 radio the plant now produces. The plant will turn out the first group of these radios in December and will eas, produce them at the beginning of 1954. Without taking on additional workers, the plant's assembly shop is now turning out three times as many radio receivers as it formerly did. [This announcement of production of the Moskvich-4 receiver seems to contradict the following reports]

MOSKVICH-3 RADIO -- Moscow, Vechernyaya Moskva, 10 Nov 53

The Moscow Krasnyy Oktyabr Plant is preparing to mass-produce the Moskvich-3 radio. This Class 3 set has five tubes, receives programs on two wave bands, and will replace the Class 4 Moskvich receiver formerly produced.

The Orekhovo-Zuyevo Karbolit Plant has prepared the first group of cabirets for Moskvich-3 radios.

Moscow, Ogonek, 29 Nov 53

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The new Moskvich-3 receiver produced by the Moscow Krashyy Oktyabr' Plant will soon be on sale. The set was developed last summer by chief engineer S. Vasil'yev and engineer M. Ganzburg. The set received a good rating from the Leningrad Institute of Radio Reception and Acoustics.

The long-wave band of the set extends from 800 to 2,000 meters, while the medium-wave band extends from 200 to 500 Laters. The set's negative regenerative circuit assures accurate tone reproduction.

PRODUCE ABOVE-PLAN RADIOS -- Kiev, Pravda Ukrainy, 10 Oct 53

The Riga Radio Plant imeni A. S. Popov has fulfilled its plan for the first 9 months of 1953 ahead of schedule and turned out more than 4,000 above-plan Riga-10 and Riga-6 radio receivers. In the first 9 months of 1953, the plant produced 1 1/2 times as many radio receivers as it did in the corresponding period of 1952 and reduced production cost of receivers 14 percent.

INCREASE CUTPUT OF UROZHAY RADIOS -- Kiev, Pravda Ukrainy, 14 Oct 53

In the first 9 months of 1953, the Dnepropetrovsk Radio Plant produced as many Urozhay mobile radio stations as it did in all of 1952 and saved more than 1 1/2 million rubles by reducing production costs.

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PRODUCES PHONOGRAPHS -- Moscov, Komsomol'skaya Pravda, 18 Nov 53

In 1953, the new Dnepropetrovsk Phonograph Plant has produced 10,000 phonographs. The plant has also organized the output of Dnepr dynamic loud-speakers

FAIL TO DELIVER BALL SWITCHES -- Moscow, Radio, Dec 53

Tsentrosoyuz (Central Union of Consumers Cooperatives) ordered 12,000 band switches from Glavelektrosbyt, Ministry of Electric Power Stations and Electrical Industry, but has yet to receive a single switch. An order for 100,000 detectors has remained unfilled for 2 years.

COMPLETES PLAN EARLY -- Moscow, Vechernyaya Moskva, 10 Nov 53

The Central Installation Administration, Trust No 43, Glavelektroradicstroy [Main Administration for the Construction of Electrical and Radio Enterprises?], Ministry of Electric Power Stations and Electrical Industry USSR, has exceeded its 9-month plan for installation work.



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